

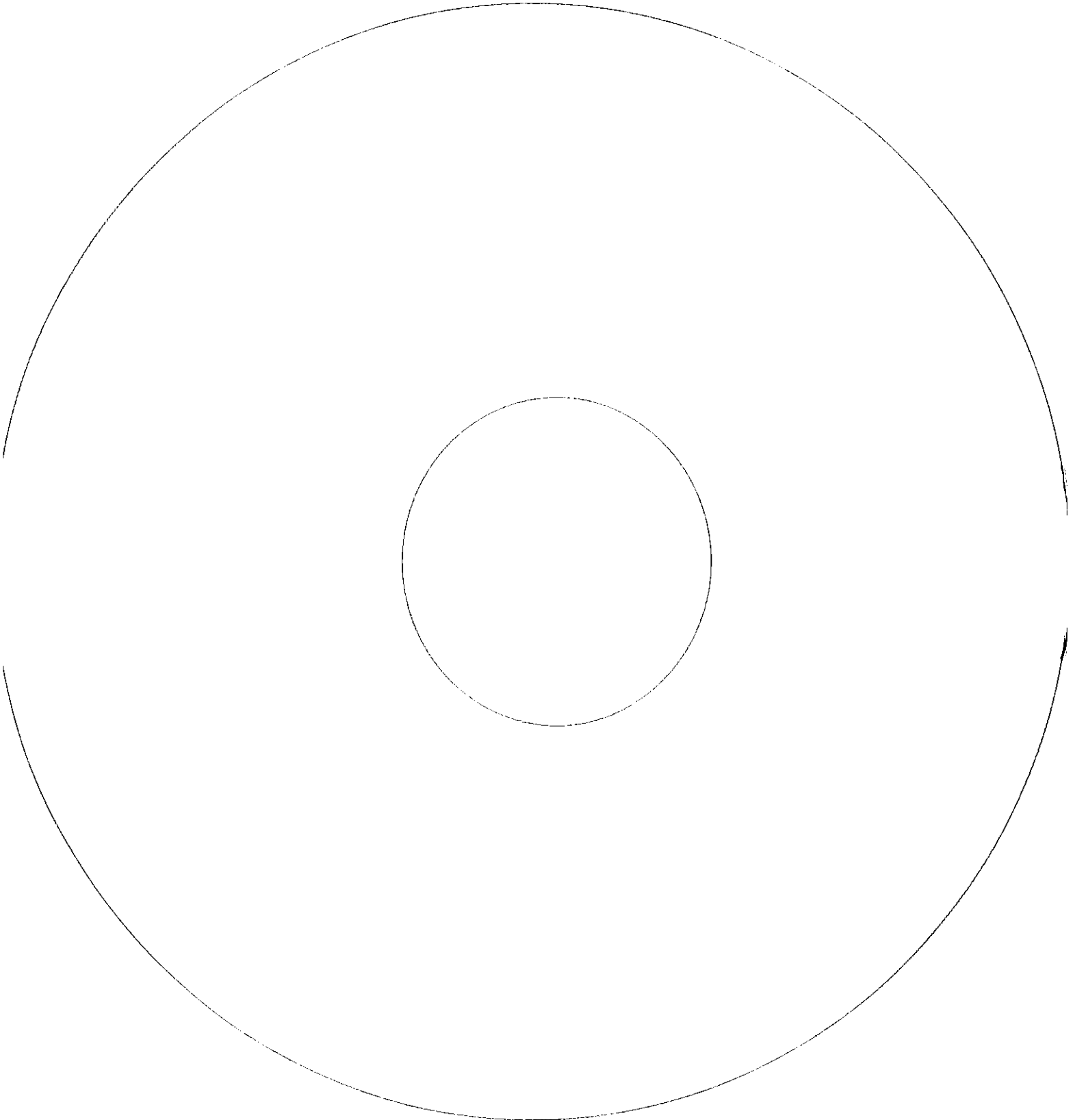
# A Fact Finding Mission

**My Mission:**

**To find factual information about**

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**What do you already know about the tribe?  
Record your prior knowledge in the outer circle.**



# Setting the Purpose

Good readers and good researchers think about the topic before they begin looking for information.

What questions do you have about your Native American Tribe?

Write three "I Wonder" statements below.

I Wonder....

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_  
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Now you are ready to begin the mission.

Use at least two sources one book and one Internet site.

Source #1: \_\_\_\_\_

Source #2: \_\_\_\_\_

Talk to your teacher if you are having trouble locating a book sources.

**Kid Friendly sites for Native American below:**

<http://www.native-languages.org/kids.htm>

[http://www.ducksters.com/history/native\\_americans.php](http://www.ducksters.com/history/native_americans.php)

<http://www.historyforkids.net/native-americans.html>

[http://www.kidinfo.com/american\\_history/native\\_americans.html](http://www.kidinfo.com/american_history/native_americans.html)

## **Natural Resources**

What natural resources are found where your tribe lives? How does the tribe use the environment to live?

## **Food**

What does your tribe eat? Are they hunters/gathers/farmers? Does their food choice change depending on the season? Who hunts or gathers the food?

## **Shelter**

What type of shelter(s) does your tribe use? Is it the same during every season? Is it a portable or permanent shelter? Why do they have a permanent or a portable shelter? What natural resources do they use to make their shelter?

## **Clothing**

What is the clothing made out of? Do the men, women, and children all wear the same clothing? Does the clothing have any special designs on it? Do they have different clothing for different seasons?